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Dear Sir:

In response to the communication mailed from the Patent and Trademark Office on February 26, 2008, please consider the following.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.